

St. Francis Parish

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Office Hours: 9am to Noon & 1pm to 4pm

Tuesday through Friday

MASS & OTHER SERVICE SCHEDULE

Friday Harbor

5:30 pm Saturday and 9:00 am Sunday

Spanish Mass at 6:00 pm Sunday

Orcas

10:30 am Sunday

Lopez

10:30 am Saturday (Spring, Summer, Fall)

1:15 pm Saturday (winter)

Roche Harbor

10:30 am Sunday through September 1, 2019

Holy Days

Same as week-end schedule

Recitation of the Holy Rosary

FH: Following weekday Masses

Orcas & Lopez: Immediately before Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Friday Harbor

4:00 to 5:00 pm on Saturday

2nd Saturday of the Month on Lopez – after Mass (except during Winter ferry schedule)

Sundays before Mass on Orcas

Weekday Mass in Friday Harbor

9:00 am

GENERAL INFORMATION

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS: Please take a moment to register using the forms located in the entryway of the church. Forms are also available by calling the parish office.

BULLETIN AND ANNOUNCEMENTS: Please submit items to the parish office prior to 12:00 Noon on Tuesday for the bulletin and by Thursday for announcements.

Our Weekly Offerings – Thank you!

July 27 & 28, 2019

Location	Friday Hbr	Orcas	Lopez	Roche Hbr
No. of Envelopes	17	26	7	5
Envelopes & Checks	\$ 1,813.00	\$ 1,365.00	\$ 219.00	\$ 395.00
Loose Cash	477.00	633.00	94.00	359.00
Totals	\$ 2,290.00	\$ 1,998.00	\$ 313.00	\$ 754.00

COUNCIL & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL: FH Tom Cogan; **ORCAS:** Jonathan Loop; **LOPEZ** Kit Latta; **PASTORAL COUNCIL:** FH: Teddy & Michele Gosinski (Cemetery, church, & office maintenance); Frank Bruch (Madden Lane maintenance); Mary Jo Bolte (Hospitality) **LOPEZ:** Lou Bailey **ORCAS:** Charlie Clark, Dave Dilling, Demetrio Salinas, Carol Marcin, and Ting Zimmermann

PRAYER REQUESTS

(DELETED AFTER 30 DAYS UNLESS CALLED IN AGAIN)

FRIDAY HARBOR: Rylee Gies Patrick & Marti Hughes' Granddaughter; Dee Hutchins; Wayne Totten; Mary Hicks; Zandra Gutierrez; Susan Wilson; Annette Krumenacker (Carl's sister-in-law); John Wilson; Georgeann Salerno (Irene Herring's sister); Chris Jacobson (Lloyd's nephew); Mary Smith (Cathy Crisanto's mother); Dina Snook; Kathleen Wilson; Donnie Stewart (Paula Jameson's brother-in-law); Willy Schatz (Janine Wells' cousin); Ryan Stratton; Gloria Loudon; Irene (Susan Mahoney's great-grand-niece); Marge Iten (Marti Hughes' aunt); Andrew Greene (Don & Georgann's son); Debbie Danz (Michele Gosinski's cousin) and for the repose of the souls of Beth Baker, Herb Meyer and Michael Nash.

ORCAS ISLAND: Nicole Burke (Robert & Donna Burke's niece); Bob Kihlstrom; Anne Marcin; David McCombs (Shelly Russell's father); and George Klein (Maryann Giefer's nephew).

LOPEZ ISLAND: Marge Stensrud; Del Schuld; Sandy Palmisani and her family.

SHAW ISLAND : For good health for all the Mothers at Our Lady of the Rock Priory and the Sisters of Mercy at Our Lady Star of the Sea

OTHER: For the repose of the soul of Father Heffernan. For justice and healing for victims of abuse and their families; suffering Christians in the Middle East and for the repose of the souls of the victims of terror.

Our Parish Vision: To know, love, and serve the Lord and His people and to support one another in our spiritual journey.

ALL ISLANDS

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR AUGUST:

Families, Schools of Human Growth

That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth.

FRIDAY HARBOR

MEMORIAL MASS FOR MICHAEL NASH:

Saturday, August 10th at noon.

SAVE THE DATE: Parish Picnic at Madden Lane,
Sunday, September 1st.

NEXT FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION—Sept 6th

following the 9 am Mass and ending with
Benediction at 11:45.

KING'S RECEIPTS! Our rebate for last quarter was
\$176.21. Keep those receipts coming.

PLEASE BRING GIFTS FOR THE FOOD BANK

LOPEZ

MEN'S ROSARY GROUP 7pm Wednesdays at
Center Church.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is
available following Mass on the 2nd Saturday of the
month. (No refreshments after Mass on those
Saturdays.)

LOPEZ FOOD BANK: Please bring your donations
to Mass on the LAST Saturday of each month.

ORCAS

LUNCH AT THE FOOD BANK: Our turn is every
2nd Tuesday of the month. Please sign up and
help out. The list is on the bulletin board in the
vestibule. God bless you for your service.

ORCAS CONTACTS: Property maintenance:
Barbara Clever 376-4042. Reader schedule:
Tony Giefer 376-6117. Rosary for Life: Shelly
Russell 376-4792. Religious Ed: Sister Mary
Danielle 468-3134. For sacristy supplies call
the office, 378-2910.

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

Tuesday, August 6 The Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord

Celebrated by 5th century East Syrians, this feast
was inserted into the general calendar in 1457
by Pope Callistus III to celebrate the defeat of
the Turks at Belgrade, announced in Rome on
August 6th. This event in our Lord's life is
found in the three synoptic Gospels – Matthew
17:1-8, Mark 9:2-8, and Luke 9:28-36.

Thursday, August 8 St. Dominic – born in
1170 in Caleruega, Spain, he founded the Order
of Preachers (O.P.) also known as
“Dominicans”. Today the order numbers some
5,770 religious. Dominic led a life devoted to
contemplation, study, and preaching and sought
to bring Albigensians back into the Church
through preaching and living evangelical
poverty. He was canonized in 1234 and is the
patron saint of Astronomers; astronomy;
Dominican Republic; falsely accused people;
Santo Domingo Pueblo, Valletta, Birgu (Malta),
Managua.

**Friday, August 9 St. Teresa Benedicta of the
Cross** (Edith Stein) was born in 1891 in
Breslau, Germany into a Jewish family but by
the time she came of age she professed to be an
atheist. She was a brilliant philosophy student.
While visiting the home of a Catholic friend,
she read the autobiography of St. Teresa of
Avila. When she closed the book she said,
“Now that is the truth”. She became Catholic
and taught in Catholic schools until she was
forced to resign because of anti-Semitic
legislation by the Nazi government. She entered
the Carmelite order and was transferred to a
monastery in Holland where it was presumed
she would be safe but in 1942 she was arrested,
along with her sister Rosa, and taken to
Auschwitz where they were both killed. She was
declared co-patroness of Europe with St.
Catherine of Siena and St. Bridget of Sweden.

She is the author of many books which are
available through the Institute of Carmelite
Studies (ICS) at www.icspublications.org.